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In re Application of: Pierre DESLONGCHAMPS et al.

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For: COMBINATORIAL SYNTHESIS OF LIBRARIES OF MACROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS USEFUL IN DRUG DISCOVERY

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified patent application please
make the following amendments:

In The Claims

In claims 9 and 20, line 2 in each, please delete "and" and insert --or--
therefor.

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